KOLAR DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DISTRICT BOARD MEETING HELD ON 20TH NOVEMBER 1909.

PRESENT.

C. Srikantesvara Aiyar, Esq., B.A., B.L., President.

Ex-officio Members.

1. A. Vedantadesigam Iyengar, Esq., Vice-President.
2. Ananda Rao Sirsi, Esq., B.A., LL.B., Sub-Division Officer, Chikballapur.
3. M. Obeidulla, Esq., Sub-Division Officer, Malur.
4. B. B. Garudacharya, Esq., L.C.E., Executive Engineer, Kolar Division.
5. C. G. Hanuman Singh, Esq., L.M. & S., District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Kolar District.
6. S. Gopal Rao, Esq., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Kolar.

Non-official Members.

Clause (d).

7. Mr. Manjali Byregowda, Kolar.
8. „ Peer Navaz Khan, Bowringpet.
9. „ Kasti Hyder Sab, Mulbagal.
10. „ Venkataramanappa, Malur.
11. „ K. Venkatasami Reddi, Srinivaspur.
12. „ Hanumegowda, Sidlaghatta.
13. „ Sinappa, Bagepalli
14. „ Heggenahalli Krishnachar, Goribidnur.
15. „ Adinaranappa, Gudibanda.
16. „ Sahukar Seethappa Chetty, Chintamani.
17. „ C. Narayanaswami Chetty, Chikballapur.

Clause (e)

18. Mr. Sahukar Syed Budan Sab, Bowringpet.
19. „ Syed Phatulla Sab, Srinivaspur.
20. „ Nagegowda, Mulbagal.
21. „ Amir Hussain Sab, Kolar.
22. „ Narasimha Reddi, Chikballapur.
23. „ Balareddipalli Venkatareddi, Bagepalli.

ABSENT.

Non-official Members.

Clause (e).

1. Mr. Ummanniah, Bowringpet.

The Amildars of taluks excepting Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli were also present.

1. Read and recorded the proceedings of the last meeting held on 21st August 1909.

2. Read and recorded the District Fund accounts for April, May and June 1909 as audited by the Comptroller.

3. Read the draft rules under Section 17 of the Local Boards Regulation, submitted by the Sub-Committee appointed to frame the same at the last meeting of the Board, to facilitate absent members coming to know of the dates of subsequent Board meetings.

Approved with slight modification;

Approved Rules being as follows:—

(i) That printed copies of the Board's proceedings in which the date of the subsequent meeting is invariably recorded in pursuance of Rule 24 of the Local Boards Regulation, be supplied to all the members of the Board sufficiently in good time before the next meeting.

(ii) That a general notice specifying the date, time and place of such meeting with an agenda of subjects to be discussed thereat be circulated, as is now the practice, among the members of the Board.

(iii) That the printed copies of the proceedings and notice aforementioned be sent to the members direct to them, in the case of official members, and through their respective Amildars or Deputy Amildar in case of non-official members.

4. Mr. B. Muni Narayana Chetty of Kolar having vacated his seat on the Finance Committee, on ceasing to be a member of the District Board, the President moved for the appointment of a substitute in his stead.

Resolved that Mr. Peer Navaz Khan of Bowringpet, a District Board member, be appointed a member of the Finance Committee.

5. Read Government Proceedings No. 8389-96—L. B. 216-08-1, dated the 27th February 1909, and Memo No. 12234-40, dated the 7th June last, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, calling for the views of the Taluk and District Boards on the procedure proposed to be adopted for drawing and disbursing the travelling allowances claimed by the non-official members.

Held that, pending the revision of the General Rules which the Board understand are under contemplation, the present practice of drawing and disbursing the said allowances, which is on the same lines as those proposed in para (ii) of the Government Proceedings under advertence, be continued, as it has been working satisfactorily enough.

The Board consider it undesirable to require the members to certify in their bills to the effect that the travelling expenses incurred by them are necessary and *bona-fide* so long as the actual charges do not exceed the rates specified in Rule 22 of the Local Boards Regulation.

6. Read—

(i) Government Proceedings No. 5966-70—Med. 278-06-11, dated 23rd November 1908, directing necessary action being taken for erecting the compound wall to the Local Fund Dispensary at Bowringpet by placing at the disposal of the Public Works Department the District Board contribution for the same,

(ii) also correspondence ending with Kolar Division Executive Engineer's docket No. 419 of the 25th July last forwarding a revised estimate for Rs. 1,640 for the work.

Resolved that the revised estimate for Rs. 1,640 be approved and necessary funds by re-appropriation out of Rs. 1,044 provided, under "IX. Contributions (1) for improving and repairing Local Fund Dispensaries" in the current year's budget.

7. Read and recorded the Local Funds General budget for the year 1909-10, sanctioned in Government Proceedings No. 1558-73—L. B. 300-08-17, dated the 13th August 1909.

8. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. G. 846-94—Gen. 44-09-4, dated 12th August 1909, issuing revised instructions regarding the remittance of travellers' bungalow fees to the Treasuries and maintenance of two sets of visitors' books in the travellers' bungalows.

9. Read—

(i) Government Proceedings No. R. 273—Agri. 64-08-10, dated the 9th July 1909, recording the Revenue Commissioner's review on the statement of losses in cattle during the quarter ending 31st March 1909.

(ii) Revenue Commissioner's Official Memoranda Nos. 3584-92 and 3792-800, dated the 14th September 1909, reviewing the statement of cattle mortality for the quarter ending 30th June 1909, and for the year 1908-09, respectively.

Recorded.

10. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 1854-5—L. B. 368-08-4, dated 21st August last, sanctioning the increase of pay from Rs. 4 to 5 to the sweeper, and the entertainment of an additional sweeper on Rs. 5 to the Vokkaleri Union in Kolar Taluk.

11. Read and recorded Revenue Commissioner's Memo No. 2641-8, dated 21st August 1909, together with Government Proceedings No. R. 3171-80—L. R. 102-09-6, dated 21st October 1909, sanctioning the Irrigation Cess budget for the year 1909-10.

12. Read Government Proceedings No. 2389, dated 11th September 1909, appointing Mr. Balareddipalli Venkata Reddi of Bagepalli Taluk, as a member of the District Board *vice* Mr. Setti Chikkanna, deceased.

Recorded. Mr. Balareddipalli Venkata Reddi has also taken his seat on the Board today.

13. Read Government Proceedings No. 2564-6—Ml. 474-08-2, dated 14th September 1909, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 2,038 for deepening and improving Gurappa's well at Chikballapur and enquiring if the District Board would grant a portion of its cost.

Resolved that a third of the total cost be met out of the District Funds by necessary re-appropriation of funds out of the current year's budget allotment.

14. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 2900-11—San. 45-09, dated 23rd September 1909, confirming the principle that the appointment of sanitary officials should vest with the District Boards concerned but that the Sanitary Commissioner's approval should be obtained when such appointments are made from outside the list of eligible candidates maintained.

15. Read Government Proceedings No. 2955-66—Med. 7-09-27, dated 24th September 1909, sanctioning the construction of quarters to the Hospital Assistants and midwives at Kolar and Bowringpet, and requesting to place at the disposal of Public Works Department the District Fund contribution for the same.

Resolved that necessary funds be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department from the provision sanctioned in the current year's budget for the purpose, under "IX. Contribution, (3) construction of quarters for Hospital Assistants at Kolar and Bowringpet."

16. Read and recorded Government Notification No. 3047—L. B. 91-09-2, dated 25th September 1909, approving of the appointment of Mr. Shanbhag Subba Rao as a member of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk Board, in place of Mr. Setti Chikkanna, deceased.

17. Read Government Proceedings No. 3137-9—L. B. 42-07-4, dated the 30th September 1909, sanctioning the acquisition of 38 guntas of land in Tyakal village in Survey No. 3—1 and 2, on which the Government musafirkhana is situated, and directing that the cost thereof *viz.*, Rs. 47-0-0, being met by re-appropriation from the current year's budget grants.

Resolved to defray the cost by re-appropriation from "CX Miscellaneous 7 Reserve for unforeseen expenses."

18. Read Sanitary Commissioner's memo No. 1611-18, dated 5th October 1909, enquiring if the District Board agree to meet moiety of the pay of the four peons required for the plague supervision of the frontier taluks of Srinivaspur, Mulbagal, Malur and Goribidnur, in case they are to be kept on permanently.

Resolved that no permanent staff is needed and that whenever a temporary establishment is needed, the District Board would meet their share of charges as per rules on the subject.

19. Read Government Proceedings No. 3180-1—L. B. 214-08-4, dated 1st October 1909, sanctioning the local allowance of Rs. 2 to the Local Fund clerk attached to Bowringpet Taluk Office.

Resolved to meet the extra allowance out of Rs. 500 provided under "C. X. Miscellaneous. (7) Reserve for unforeseen expenditure" in the current year's budget.

20. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 3325-6—L. B. 109-09-2, dated 7th October 1909, sanctioning the entertainment of a sweeper for each of the Unions of Mandikal, Kandavara and Manchanbele in Chikballapur Taluk, at Rs. 5 each per mensem.

21. Read—

(i) Government Proceedings No. 12819-29—L. B. 55-93, dated the 21st June 1909, passing orders on the arrears of pay due to certain midwives and directing that their pay should in future be at a uniform rate of Rs. 15 per mensem with prescribed local allowance,

(ii) also Government Proceedings No. 3368-77—L. B. 86-09-2, dated 8th October 1909, authorizing the Comptroller to investigate the claims of certain midwives referred to in Government Proceedings No. 12819-29—L. B. 55-93, dated 21st June 1909, and to pay the same on bills signed by both the President and the Senior Surgeon.

Recorded.

22. Read—

(i) Government Proceedings No. 2685-93—San. 67-09-2, dated 16th September 1909, directing the submission of weekly diaries of the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors, to the District Medical and Sanitary Officers,

(ii) also Government Proceedings No. 3390-8—San. 67-09-4, dated 8th October 1909, ruling that the District Medical and Sanitary Officers cannot give orders to the Amildars direct on the said weekly diaries, etc., but that they may offer their suggestions or advice on purely sanitary matters.

Recorded.

23. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 3478-5-18—Med. 3-08-7, dated 9th October 1909, regarding the arrangements made with the Accountant-General, Madras, for payment at Coonoor Sub-Treasury, of maintenance allowances of Mysore patients and attendants treated at the Pasteur Institute.

24. Read letter No. 5270, dated 10th—11th October 1909, from the Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle, forwarding for countersignature, an estimate for Rs. 3,130 for widening the Mulbagal-Goribidnur road running on the bund of Kallur tank, Srinivaspur Taluk.

Approved.

25. Read the following estimates received from the Executive Engineer, Kolar Division, with his No. 75—22-7-09, 468—18-8-09, 469—19-8-09 and 496—31-8-09 for countersignature.

	Rs.	a.	p.
1. Repairing the travellers' bungalow at Chintamani ...	75	0	0
2. Repairing the latrine in the travellers' bungalow compound, Chintamani	45	0	0
3. Repairing the travellers' bungalow at Thondebhavi ..	113	0	0
4. Metalling the worst furlongs of Kolar-Venkatagiri Kota road	390	0	0

Approved.

26. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. G. 1963-74—G. M. 137-09-1, dated the 24th September 1909, directing the discontinuance of publication, in the *Mysore Gazette*, of statistics and accounts, etc., in detail connected with District Board annual returns and Board proceedings.

27. Read docket No. 1628—L. B. 47-09-2, dated the 13th August last, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, together with Chikballapur Sub-Division Officer's Vernacular Yadi No. 620, dated 1st November 1909, and the Goribidnur Taluk Board's resolution in the matter of remission of house tax in Darinaikanapalya Union.

Resolved to call for the reconsideration of the Taluk Board, as no such concession was shown to any of the Unions in the district during last year and by doing so, the resources of the Union would be seriously affected, disabling it to carry on the sanitary and other important works to be effected therein.

28. Read docket No. 3847—Med. 221-07-13, dated the 12th instant from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, enquiring whether the Board would prefer the construction of a new building or the acquisition of Mr. Narayanaswami Chetty's bungalow for locating the Female Dispensary at Chikballapur, and in either case, how they propose to meet, during the current year, the Board's contribution for the same.

Resolved that Mr. Narayanaswami Chetty's bungalow be purchased for locating the Female Dispensary at Chikballapur, being central and well adopted for such a purpose, the prescribed contribution being met out of Rs. 2,000 provided under "B. II. Reserve" in the current year's budget.

29. Read list of estimates for budgetted works received from Taluk Boards for sanction.

Sanctioned.

30. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 3943-51—San. 67-09-7, dated 6th November 1909, directing that the diaries of the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors of the district head-quarter towns be forwarded to the District Medical and Sanitary Officers through Assistant Commissioner Vice-Presidents and not through Amildars direct.

31. Read Kolar Assistant Veterinary Inspector's report No. 59, dated the 12th instant, submitting a statement showing the daily attendance of cattle treated in the Veterinary Dispensary and the number of cattle inoculated during the months of August, September and October 1909.

Recorded

	Number admitted	Number inoculated.
August 1909	... 374	...
September „	... 415	250
October „	... 512	326

32. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. R. 3014-22—Agri. 64-08-14, dated 9th October 1909, recording the review of the Revenue Commissioner on the statement of cattle mortality for the year ending 30th June 1909.

33. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 4015-28—L. B. 131-09-2, dated the 9th November 1909, passing orders on the payment of ferry charges on carts carrying Government arrack between Narve and Sringeri in the Koppa Taluk.

34. Read Bowringpet Amildar's report No. 183, dated 16th October 1909, submitting for sanction a supplemental estimate for Rs. 99-13-0 towards the extra cost incurred for baling out water in the Haliganahalli well, constructed and improved during last year and proposing the cost to be met out of Rs. 300 provided for the same work in the current year's budget and the balance utilized for other works.

Approved.

35. Read—

(i) Sanitary Commissioner's docket No. 391, dated 19th July 1909, anent providing Budikote with a drinking water well,

(ii) also Bowringpet Amildar's report No. 148, dated 21st September 1909, together with the Taluk Board resolution, proposing to improve the existing wells by appropriating Rs. 127 provided for the repairs of roads in Budikote in the current year's budget.

Resolved to approve of the proposal of the Taluk Board and to obtain sanction of Government for the work.

36. Read Chikballapur Sub-Division Officer's yadi No. 221, dated 16th September 1909, forwarding for sanction an estimate for Rs. 75 for the construction of a cattle-pound at Margankunte, Bagepalli Taluk.

Sanctioned Rs. 25 which is in excess of the budget allotment provided for the work being met out of "B. I. Reserve" by necessary re-appropriation.

37. Read Malur Sub-Division Officer's No. 586, dated 18th November 1909, together with the Taluk Board's resolution forwarding for sanction an estimate for Rs. 46 for the construction of a tunnel in front of old chavadi in Lakkur and proposing the cost to be met out of Rs. 50 provided under "Roads in Lakkur Union" in the current year's budget.

Resolved to approve of the proposal and to obtain sanction of Government for the work.

38. Read letter No. 12402-12—Med. 32-08-46, dated 10th June 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, calling for the views of the District Board in the matter of meeting from District Funds the expenses of the treatment of indigent persons bitten by rabid animals outside the limits of the Municipality.

The Board are of opinion that the rule of the Madras Government proposed to be adopted is suitable and are willing to defray from District Funds the cost of treatment of indigent persons residing outside the limits of Municipal towns.

39. Read and recorded the Proceedings of the Taluk Boards.

40. Resolved that the next meeting be held on Saturday the 5th February 1910.

C. SRIKANTESVARA AIYAR,
President.

KOLAR GOLD FIELDS.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE SANITARY BOARD, KOLAR GOLD FIELDS, HELD ON FRIDAY THE 19TH NOVEMBER 1909.

PRESENT.

Ex-officio Members.

1. C. Srikantesvara Aiyar, Esq., B.A., B.L., President.
2. T Chokkanna, Esq., B.A., Vice-President.
3. B. Garudachar, Esq., B.A., L.C.E., Executive Engineer, Kolar Division.
4. S. M. Pritchard, Esq., Superintendent of Police, Kolar Gold Fields.
5. Dr. Jamshyd Dadabai Munsiff, Health Officer, Kolar Gold Fields.

ABSENT.

Ex-officio Members.

6. R. Bocquet, Esq., Inspector of Mines, Kolar Gold Fields.

PRESENT.

Non-official Members.

1. C. B. Bennetts, Esq., Superintendent, Oorgaum Mine.
2. H. M. A. Cooke, Esq., Superintendent, Champion Reef Mine.
3. A. Gifford, Esq., Superintendent, Mysore Mine.
4. C. H. Richards, Esq., Superintendent, Coromandel Mine.

ABSENT.

Non-official Members.

5. Dr. J. D. O'Donnell, Chief Medical Officer, Kolar Gold Fields.
6. P. Bosworth Smith, Esq., Superintendent, Tank Block Mine.

SUBJECTS.

1. Read and confirmed the proceedings of the last meeting held on the 20th August 1909.